

# Woman's Daily Magazine Page

## BEAUTY CHATS

By Edna Kent Forbes.

### BEAUTY AND MOTHERHOOD.

So many women write to me and tell me they have lost their figures and their beauty with the birth of a baby, that I want to write today especially for them. The birth of a child should not bring disaster. It is an added beauty, a full-blown mature beauty quite as attractive in its way as the beauty of girlhood and slenderness. This can be done if you understand how.

During the months before the child is born, you must take special care of your hair and your teeth. I would advise you to go to a dentist every three months—to keep the mouth in perfect condition during all this period. I would also advise you to cut the hair back a little and to use a hair tonic every few days.

The most enlightened doctors will tell you to massage the bust and the abdomen with olive oil. And as another hint regarding the care of the figure, be sure that your corsets, if you wear any at all, are of the proper sort.

The figure will keep its young and elastic lines if it is well cared for after the birth of the child. A good physician and a good nurse know how this is done for the first few weeks, but when you are up and going about as usual, you

should take enough exercise to strengthen all the muscles around the waist and the abdomen. And you must be careful if you wear corsets, that they hold in the hips and not the waist. Another day I will talk more about the care of the figure after childbirth and when the baby is weaned.

**Blue Eyes:** The dark circles around the eyes usually come from some internal disturbance, which is often that of a sluggish liver. These circles do not indicate eye-strain.

**Diaper:** No animal fats should be used on the face as they are so heavy they are not easily absorbed and clog the pores attracting soil, which becomes a source for the growth of hair. Any tonic is applied to the lashes at the roots from the point of a fine sable brush.

**Constant Reader:** The best soaps for the skin are those made from good oils, such as the old-fashioned Castile soap and any number of others, some of which are made from olive oil. Superfuous hair does not come from using soap on the face.

**Wantone:** If the lashes are ragged it will help them to trim the ends occasionally. If you need a tonic for them send a stamped addressed envelope and shall be glad to mail you a formula.

## Social Calendar

Friday.  
Alpha Delta fraternity dance at Masonic temple at 8:30 p. m.  
Good Time club dance at Colorado hall at 9 p. m.  
Tally ho dance at Tamarisk Inn at 8:30 p. m.

## MOST BEAUTIFUL LADY IN JAPAN RETURNS HOME



Lady Ryochi Kujo, often called Japan's most beautiful woman, has returned to her native land from London after a long visit. Her husband is the younger brother of the empress of Japan.

## ELKS' AUXILIARY TO PLAN CHRISTMAS AT MEETING AT 4 TODAY

Another meeting of the "ladies' auxiliary" of the Elks' Christmas project will be held at 4 o'clock this afternoon at the Elks' club building for the purpose of discussing further plans for the enterprise. All members of the first group which met and all other wives and mothers and sisters of Elks are urged to attend the meeting.

The auxiliary has begun active work to make a happy Christmas for needy children in the city. They will make garments and assist in packing the Christmas stockings. Mrs. N. J. Strumquist is chairman of the committee. Mrs. Frank Mindlin is vice chairman and Mrs. Leopold Meyer is secretary.

Making garments for poor children will be the principal task of the women in the Christmas work. Each woman has pledged herself to make at least one article of clothing for either boys or girls. They will also meet at the club several days before the holidays to fill the stockings for the children. The Christmas tree at the club, where all of the poor children will congregate Christmas day.

That girls should not allow men to pay street-car fares, etc., for them is the expressed belief of a well-known clergyman, who welcomes feminine independence.

## ADVANCE STYLES IN WALKING COSTUME AND EVENING DRESS



These two photographs show the most advanced styles direct from Paris. At the left is an attractive walking model. The gown is handsomely embroidered in silk and has a metallic girdle. Note the full sleeves now so prevalent, and the small chic toque worn with the costume. The chin band is featured. The simplicity of its lines make the evening gown of silk most distinctive. The note tripping is pearls. The bare back effect is the very latest Paris is showing in décolleté.

## EFFICIENT HOUSEKEEPING

By LAURA A. KIRKMAN.

### DO YOU KEEP YOUR SILVER CLEAN?

Silverware is like mahogany furniture in this one respect. It had better be put away if the owner hasn't time to keep it clean and polished. Dull or tarnished silver is a most disturbing sight.

The tarnish on silver is silver sulphide, which is the result of the union of silver with sulphur. Sulphur compounds are often found in the air where either coal or coal gas is burned, and these compounds are also found in organic materials such as foods, wool and rubber. We are all familiar with the blackness that results from using silver with eggs or leaving silver in contact with elastic bands. Frequently this same blackness is caused by letting the silver come in contact with woolen materials, or with colored or bleached cotton goods in the manufacture of which sulphur may have been used—but, because this fact is not as widely known, the housewife is mystified concerning the cause of the tarnish.

Silver sulphide is insoluble in water, so ordinary washing will have no effect upon it. If, however, the discoloration is rubbed with common table salt and then washed in ammonia water, the tarnish will disappear. If ammonia is not used in the wash-water the article will turn a gray color very quickly; the reason for this is that the silver chloride, a whitish compound soluble in ammonia, which has formed when the salt was placed on the silver, remains on the silver unless dissolved by the ammonia—and is quickly acted upon again by sulphur, tarnish resulting.

There are many ways in which silver may be cleaned, the most common being by friction such as

we get by applying powders or pastes sold for this purpose. Although there are many excellent polishes of this sort on the market, care must be taken to choose one which is not coarse-grained, or the silver will be scratched.

Silver may also be cleaned by placing it in a receptacle, covering with a strong solution of borax, washing soda or potash, and bringing this to the boiling point. It is then boiled about 30 minutes and is next allowed to stay in the solution until it has become cold. Then it is wiped off with a soft cloth or chamois. The result is clean silver but not highly polished silver.

Another way is to place the silver in a bright aluminum pan with 1 tablespoon each of salt and baking soda to each quart of water used. Have the water hot, the salt and soda measured, and the silver ready to be put in the pan as soon as the salt and soda have been added to the water (there will be a strange effervescence for a few minutes and the silver must be in at that time). After cleaning in this way, put the silver into another pan, off the stove, filled with hot, soapy water to which a drop of vinegar has been added. The result by this method, too, will be a clean but lusterless silver—but many housewives prefer this method of cleaning.

If the housewife can afford to buy one of the regular manufactured silver cleaning pans now on the market, she will derive much comfort from it. These are made of zinc and aluminum and have bars soldered across the bottom for the silver to rest on. Salt and baking soda is then added to hot water as described in the paragraph above, and the same method followed.

## PETITIONS PRESENTED FOR THE PAVING OF 16 BLOCKS IN LAS CRUCES

(Special Correspondence to The Journal.)  
Las Cruces, N. M., Dec. 8.—Petitions for the paving of sixteen blocks in the heart of the business district of Las Cruces were submitted to the town board of trustees Tuesday evening by Will P. Lapoint, publisher of the Citizen and La Estrella. The petitions, signed by the majority of the property owners, call for the paving of seven blocks in Church street, and three blocks in Main street, also the six intervening blocks. Mayor Paxton today appointed a committee headed by Capt. Charles Hill to procure an estimate of the cost and report to the board at an early date.

Directors of the Las Cruces Chamber of Commerce today authorized Herbert W. Yee to make a survey of a proposed county road from Pecos bridge, west of Las Cruces, westward to Comany, twenty-six miles, which it was reported by A. D. Crowder, county road superintendent, will shorten by four and seven miles, respectively, the distance from El Paso and Las Cruces to Deming. The directors also favored changing the road from Las Cruces to Hatch to run by way of the Leesburg dam, making it an all-valley thoroughfare. It is reported that the road can be built at a comparatively low figure.

## HARDING INVITED TO VISIT SAN FRANCISCO

(By The Associated Press.)  
Washington, Dec. 8.—William H. Crocker, republican national committee chairman for California, invited President Harding today to visit San Francisco next summer, should the president's projected tour to the Pacific coast be made. The president accepted provisionally, explaining that uncertainty still existed as to whether he could go and as to the exact time.

## DEVISING PLANS FOR MINIMIZING BANK ROBBERIES

Head of Protective Department of the Illinois Bankers' Association Looks for a Reign of Holdups.

Chicago, Dec. 8.—The open season for bank robbers has arrived, according to Edward S. Arentz, head of the protective department of the Illinois Bankers' association, who is laying plans to forestall what he describes as "the epidemic of bank robberies which is upon us." Mr. Arentz has outlined a plan of bank protection which he expects, if carried out, will minimize bank losses from hold-ups and burglaries.

Working through the county federations of the state bankers' organization, bankers throughout Illinois are being urged to take up the Arentz plan, which provides for appointment of a deputy sheriff for every bank in every town and organization of a vigilance committee in every large town. The captain of the committee also would be a deputy sheriff.

Mr. Arentz suggests that shotguns be placed in all places surrounding the bank, to be used in emergency.

A regular crew of four men, he says, should be stationed at the sheriff's office, with a high power automobile, ready to jump into the machine and speed to the scene of any bank hold-up or any other major crime. By proper arrangement with the telephone company, which would be furnished with a list of deputies, every deputy sheriff in the county would be notified and a guard thrown out to intercept travelers on all roads leading from the crime.

If the bandits have passed through the circle of deputies, other towns would be notified and the vigilance committee of those towns would then take up the chase.

Two counties, La Salle and Du Page, have already approved the plan and appointed committees to work out its installation. Other counties are expected to take up the plan as soon as possible to work out details, according to Mr. Arentz.

## SHE DIRECTS HER HUSBY'S PICTURES



Frances Marion.

There have been many instances in motion pictures of husbands directing their own wives in production, but it remained for Cosmopolitan Productions, in "Just Around the Corner," to offer an example of a wife directing a husband. Frances Marion, scenario writer and director, wielded the megaphone on this production. In the cast, playing the part of the real man is her husband, Fred C. Thomson.

Mrs. Marion is small and her husband is very large. Mr. Thomson is one of the greatest athletes of America. For three years he held the all-around athletic championship and when one looks at him one doesn't wonder because I think we ought to do it. But despite the disparity in their size, Mr. Thomson tacitly obeyed every instruction given him by his wife and never once said: "You know, I think we ought to do it this way." "Just Around the Corner" is soon to be released by Paramount. Frances Marion was formerly scenario writer for Mary Pickford and went abroad on her own honeymoon when Mary and Doug went on theirs.

**CLOSE-UPS.**  
Frances Marion is prominent in the cast of the J. L. Frothingham production, "The Man Who Smiled." Miss Marion has been absent from the screen for some months due to ill health.

Ethel Clayton's contract with Paramount has expired. She will live in Paris for a year and then probably return to the stage.

Edith Roberts has just completed work in the De Mille film, "Saturday Night." J. Parker Read is the next to use Miss Roberts, for his production, titled "Fawn."

William Farnum is back after a year's vacation in Europe, and says he got his biggest thrill from looking upon the Roman Forum.

## MAY ASK LEGISLATURE FOR A CLOSED SEASON ON DEER AND TURKEY

Santa Fe, Dec. 8.—The game commission probably will go before the legislature when it convenes with a recommendation for a closed season on deer and turkey. Game Warden Thomas P. Gable stated today. The season was shortened several days by the last season.

The toll for the season just closed was estimated by Gable at 150 deer and probably a few more turkey on the basis of reports from his deputies all over the state.

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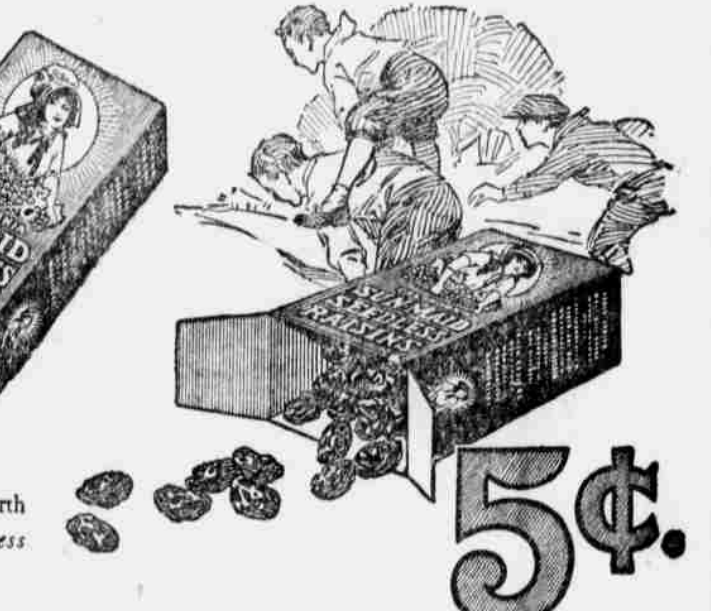
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